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To : ALL LOCAL AFFILIATES
From : OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF FFW
Date: : January 12, 2006

SUBJECT : THE FFW 22ND NATIONAL CONVENTION

Relative to the matter above, we are pleased to inform you that the 22nd National Convention of the FFW will be held from May 1-4, 2006.

Pre Convention Seminars will be conducted from April 28-30, 2006.

The venue of the Pre-Convention Seminars and the Convention Proper is still being negotiated and you will be informed as soon as this is finalized. It will most probably be held in Metro Manila or Antipolo, Rizal.

For your guidance, the Convention Rules and Procedures as adopted by the Governing Board is attached. These Convention Rules and Procedures have set the following deadlines, for your compliance:

- Jan. 31, 2006 - Last Day for the filing of Nominations to various positions to be contested in the election of FFW Officers (See attached Nomination Form)
- Feb. 14, 2006 - Last Day for the COMELEC to inform the nominees that they have been nominated to certain position(s)
- March 30, 2006 - Last Day for the payment of dues (updated up to March 31, 2006).
- March 30, 2006 - Last Day for the payment of Delegate Fee (P1,500.00) and Observer's Fee (P1,800.00)
- April 1, 2006 - Last Day for submission of undertaking under oath by duly designated union officials to the effect that the delegate(s) have been elected by the general membership to represent them in the Convention and that they have full and irrevocable powers to commit their membership in any decision which will be taken by the Convention.
- April 1, 2006 - Last Day for confirmation by Nominees who have been nominated to two or more positions of their choice of nomination or candidacy.
- April 1, 2006 - Last Day for Nominees to confirm their candidacy, otherwise their nomination or candidacy will be deemed rejected by them.

As part of the Accreditation Requirements for delegates, the following documents shall be submitted to the FFW Office (National Headquarters and Branch Offices) nearest your place:

- Copy of the local union's Constitution and By-Laws
- Copy of the local union's latest and current CBA
- Copy of Updated and Current list of Officers and Members, amount of dues levied and average basic monthly salary of Union Members
- minutes and resolutions of Union meetings, financial reports

For your information and guidance.

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National President